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ETCHES

.Posters, signs and other welcome notices for Ben Rings-dorf

...Students hurrying to Troy ...Peach blooms???

FOR COUNTY ROADS

"Unit System" Bill Revealed

Probate Judge James Sawyer to employ and regulate the com- The proposed law assigns September of each calender year degree murder was entered last released on Tuesday morning pensation of a county engineer; the County Commission the au- or not later than the first meet- Thursday in the fatal shooting

FIRE FIGHTERS

PAST FEW DAYS

Red Cross

The American Red Cross.

has been kept busy answering calls recently. Incidents of fire

VERY BUSY IN

fee County road maintenance selecting said engineer; presto the unit system. The bill cribing his qualifications and will be introduced into the state legislature. It calls for the people of the county to vote yes or no on the matter. Mr. erning body in relation to the state of the county and those of the county govern on the matter. Mr. erning body in relation to the state of funds which will be available for the purpose of building, maintaining and construction of public roads . . . The County Engineer is for bidden from exceeding this a-Easters was out of town Tues- roads, bridges and ferries of Section 8 of the Bill gives bidden from exceeding this a- station part-time (Saturday af-

in the different school systems. sibly the sale of your property.' Enterprise, Elba, New Brock-

make the final report to the two weeks ago.

The Elba Fire Department Payment Of Taxes

Needs Help, ton and Kinston get their part of the tax collected. The money is used in their respective

and ferries under the county after this act is approved by system; authorizing and requiring the county governing body comes law."

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of parole sooner and from the



Ringsdorf Still At Maxwell AFB Acheck with the Maxwell AFB

tain Ben Ringsdorf, Elba's only returning POW. Captain Ben Ringsdorf is ex-After arriving at Maxwell after pected to return to Elba some-

PLEA OF GUILTY ACCEPTED IN RIFLE SHOOTING OF FOLLIS

fee County road maintenance selecting said engineer; pres- engineer heading the road main- to fix and determine the amount originally charged with first day and unavailable for comment.

The introduction to the bill reads as follows:

The people vote and then the probate Judge has to call the maintenance and repair of public roads, highways, bridges and repair of puant ferries under the county and marks and ferries under the county and repair of puant ferries of the construction, and ferries under the county and providing the county engineer the responsibility for all road machingers. If the bill passes and gets the Governor's signature, the Governor's signature, the Governor's signature, the Governor's signature, the probate Judge will call the bill passes and gets the Governor's signature, the probate Judge will call the entered a plea of innocent by reason of insanity, through his attorney, Terry Butts, of Elba last Thursday morning a hearing on a change of venue was scheduled and witnesses had been summoned and were shooting he went to a nearby two-way radio and called law officers and told them what he had just done. Later he entered a plea of innocent by reason of insanity, through his attorney, Terry Butts, of Elba last Thursday morning a hearing on a change of venue was scheduled and witnesses had been summoned and were shooting he went to a nearby two-way radio and called law officers and told them what he had just done. Later he entered a plea of innocent by reason of insanity, through his attorney, Terry Butts, of Elba last Thursday morning a hearing on a change of venue was scheduled and witnesses had been summoned and were

was changed at the last limite.

The change of venue was naturally withdrawn at that time.

The heaviest sentence he students and \$1.00 for adults. could have received in first degree murder was life and he a parole review board after 10 years - as he will under Elect Leaders the present sentence. This possibility increases his chance



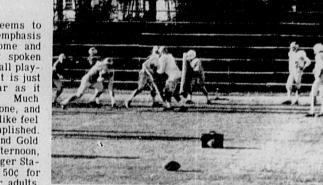
and find out how you can help the feed Cross be the Good Neighbor.

Homecoming Press Center revealed the latest information PLANS FORMING concerning the activities of Cap- - FOR HOMECOMING

midnight last Wednesday morning, he has continually undergone medical exams, and military debriefings. A spokesman for the public information office revealed that Ringsdorf is staying in BOQ quarters when not undergoing tests or debriefings.

The sams source revealed the welcoming him home have been wade by Flba gitizens. Banners recently freed young man att-ended church last Sunday and is have been prepared to hang relaxing and enjoying himself across the Troy Highway. He socially as much as possible. Is expected to arrive during He has purchased himself a school hoursand arrangements small a small amount of new have been made for schools to clothes at the post exchange turn out to greet him. Many new shoe styles. He has ex- ers welcoming Ringsdorf home, pressed an interest in the new The city officials will meet him taking it slow, he is enjoying him to the elementery school his food. Close friends of Ringsdorf sire to say a few words to the will recall his strong interest students. From there the Elba in football and his old school, band will lead his caravan downthe University of Alabama. He town, around the square and to is trying to get caught up on a platform where he will be





Locklar Resigns County School Post

Mr. H. J. Locklar, Superintendent of Education of Coffee County, will retire on July
1, 1973. In a letter to the
members of the Coffee County
Board of Education, Mr. Locklar says:

"The only real purpose of
any school system is to educate boys and girls and help
them to learn and develop so

BOARD ACCEPTING
APPLICATIONS FOR
SUPERINT END ENT
The Coffee County Board of Mr. H. J. Locklar, Super- would be, not to formulate boa-

SUPERINTENDENT

The Coffee County Board of Education will be accepting applications for the position of Superintendent of Education until Friday, March 30 at 9:00 o'clock a.m. No standard application forms are available. You may send a resume' of your qualifications, experience, age etc., to the Coffee County Board of Education, P. O. Drawer D, Elba, Alabama, or you may bring it by the office.

and not to accept an appointment for a new term. This has been a hard decision for me to make because 'this has been my life' for forty-four years. May I express my thanks and appreciation to each board member, to the office personnel, to all other school personnel and to all other school personnel and to all other people of Coffee County for being so cooperative, understanding, and so helpful in helping me carry out my duties these two years. I have enjoyed work-

vears. I have enjoyed working with you very much, and if I that they might be able to can be of any help to you in the future, after July 1, please feel ley warned all Alabama parents make a decent living and to be a worthwhile citizen in this "Respectfully." be a worthwhile citizen in this complex world in which we are living. I believe that you are "Respectfully, H. J. Locklar, Superintendent" to be overly cautious in signing contracts with correspondence and trade and trade and trade are living.

living. I believe that you are concerned to the extent that you want to see that the schools of Coffee County are properly and effectively run.

"I had forty-two rewarding and enjoyable years as principal working with boys and girls in Coffee County and I hope that my services in the field of education have helped to fulfil the real purpose of our school system.

Carol and Darlene Kirkland. The Governor was overwhelmed by the of Easter Seals by Donna Carol and Darlene Kirkland of Ashford, Alabama, are the 1973 East Seal Children representing all the handi
The twin daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kirkland of Ashford, Alabama, are the 1973 East Seal Children representing all the handi
Seall A. Seall A. Legalized that when I was the collection of the confection of the company of the compa

appointed by you that my job

their children before they ade quately investigate the school. "High school seniors should be on guard against salesmen of-

school offering a course of little or no actual value", he stated.

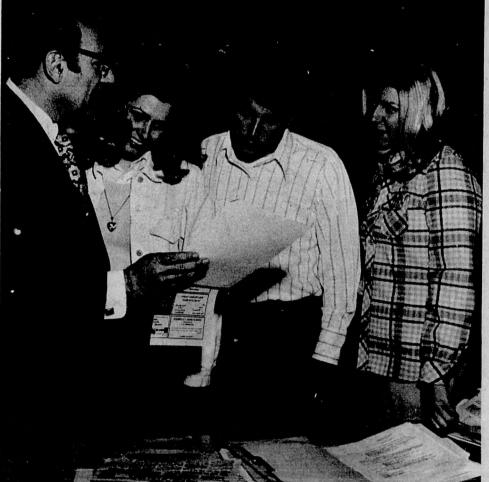
Baxley further commented that high school seniors will be bombarded with linterature be bombarded with literature from many out-of-state schools promising thorough training and job placement upon completion. Baxley advised also that there are many legitimate trade and correspondence schools and correspondence schools

SCHOOLS

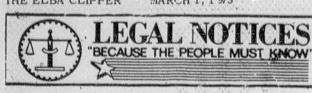
conducting worthwhile programs of education and training for high school graduates wishes to become head of the Coffee County School System.

I realized that when I was appointed by your work of the content of check with his office or the State Department of Education





University of Alabama StuUniversity of Alabama Students (from left) Joan Baggett
of Repton, Joe Goodman of DayHerman Estrin (far right) of Repton, Joe Goodman of Dayof Repton, Jo



Notice of any claim in conjunc-

tion with this contract should

DWAYNE CRUTCHFIELD,

TO: JAMES WINFORD

CRUTCHFIELD:

furnished to Mr. Douglas

een, Chairman, Jack Water

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF 3-1-

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF

You are hereby notified that

a petition has been filed in this

court by Hayward Jowers for

DWAYNE CRUTCHFIELD, and

March, 1973, if any you have,

as to why the relief prayed

AN ORDINANCE. REFERRING

is necessary that you show

or before the 8th day of

or continues.

February, 1973.

Tom Dyess Clerk

J. Brunson

bama. is hereby repealed.

came the bride of Robert Lind-

sey Grimes on Feb. 2 in the Pintlala Baptist Church with

of Mrs. Melba Till Allen and Marvin E. Allen of Hope Hull

and parents of the groom are Mr. and Mrs. Haywood L. Gr-

imes of Elba.

Given in marriage by her

father, the bride wore a white

She carried a bouquet of

with white trim and carried a

ouquet of white daisy mums

ride, served as best mar

The couple will reside

NOTICE - POW

been wearing bracelets with Ber Ringsdorf's name on them is being complied and will be given

o Ben and his family. If yo

have been wearing a bracele t 897-2976 Mrs Robert Can-

non at 897-2338 or any member

8th and 9th

Grade Meet

Your help will be greatly ap-

After the business was taken

care of, the program was to

begin. The program for this month was on "Your Values

are Showing". After the pro-

a quiz to see what we had learn-

The meeting was then ad

journed until next month. Reporter Kathy Maddox

ZION CHAPEL 4th and 5th

songs were

The meeting was called

song leaders. Then the pl-edge was lead by the Vice

president. The devotion was lead by the devotional leader.

The minutes were called by the Secretary. The leaders of the

club showed us table manners The meeting was adjourned till March 8, 1973.

4th and 5th

Randy Allen, brother of the

satin gown with an overlay of

veil of lace and illusion.

COFFEE COUNTY PROBATE COURT In The Matter of The Estate of Jessie E. Flowers, DeJessie Susai

THE STATE OF ALABAMA

Letters Testamentary on the 2-15-3tc Estate of Jessie E. Flowers, Deceased, having been granted

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manually tufted with a hand ma-

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do any act is declared to be held its February meeting at persons having claims against unlawful or a misdemeanor, who the Elba Country Club with Mrs. said estate, are hereby required to present the same within the vided therefor, the violation of Padgett serving as hostess. A to the undersigned on the 8th Newnan, Georgia, hereby serves day of February 1973 by the notice that all materials and se"arate offense shall be Fred Smith announced that the Hon James L. Sawyer, Judge of Probate of said County, notice is hereby given that all the Jack Water Authority, Jack, Alabama, have been paid in full Alabama, have been paid in full. City of Elba, Alabama, occurs ssion the members watched a film on VD which they had given Section 1-8 of the Municipal to the P. E. Department at Code of the City of Elba, Ala- Elba High School. The following members were This ordinance shall become present: Mrs. Paul King, Mrs. effective on the 20th day of Robert Fleming, Mrs. Harold Berry, Mrs. Danny Teel, Mrs. Fred Smith, Jr., Mrs. Ronnie Young, Mrs. Judith Butts, Mrs. Robert Parker, Mrs. Paul Hud-

> ler, Mrs. Charles Pearce, Mrs. Jim Rhodes, Mrs. John R. Sm-, Mrs. James Grimes, and Alabama Forestry Commission

son, Mrs. Lloyd Daniels, Mrs.

Kimmy Ham, Mrs. Wayne Mar-

bama Forestry Commission announced today that another statewide aerial survey for Southern Pine Beetles damage will be flown during the month of February. This survey is part of the Forestry Commission's continuing awareress of the attack of these forest pests which reached epidemic proportions in 44 counties of the state last year. So far this winter Ranger Drewery continued, the weather and temperature has not been cold enough to kill the beetles and they are still damaging pine timber.

Ranger Drewery of the Ala-

Forestry Commission is concerned, Ranger Drewery said, Deer In The Night

But what a magnificent de-parture! Like a flash they left the cornfield, and the next about what will take place when the weather does warm up.

After the flights, local forestry personnel will have an accurate report on the number of Southern Pine Beetle infestation spots and their location in the county. Each landowner involved will then be their land and provided with a list of possible salvage crews to remove the infested timber. The most important thing is about the weather does warm up.

By: Faye Holliday

My husband just had to take us for a moonlight ride one one of the use of a moonlight ride one one of the use of the woods and see if we can see some deer," he said.

Well, that was really the last thing I wanted to do, since deer season had just ended and I had lived, breathed and eaten I had lived, breathed and eaten they were purely sailing - sailing high above the use of the neighboring pasture, busted through the mud holes, amazing the cows, skirted the corn patch, and - then we saw them.

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There were two of them, and we first saw their eyes, far ahead, our headlights bringing them out of the dark-ness into bright round surtime allowed by law, or the same within the time allowed by law, or the same will be barred.

Jessie Susan Flowers, Exceptirix
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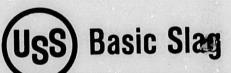
feathered carnations, lillies of the valley and babies breath Miss Clarice Brassington of Montgomery was maid of honor. She wore a kelly green gown with the kelly green gown with the kelly green gown.

thurch following the ceremony. USS Basic Slag fits right into your 1973 management plans to produce top yields and higher grade nuts because it . . .

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THE ELBA CLIPPER MARCH 1, 1973

and the majority of these showed the heavyweight boxing title extreme interest in playing foot- when Joe Frazier nearly drow-First off this week, let me

say that I'm happy to be back in this space of your paper after an eight-week absence. The jamboree will consist of tion of the Superstar classic four teams playing a tournament in south Florida last week. It's Thanks for bearing with me while I did a little golfing, format. The first quarter will a good thing that Smokin' Joe be played at 7:00 when Troy takes on Andalusia. Following this scrap will be Elba against host team Opp, with the losers of the first two quarters playing the third quarter. The final on his way out after a most quarter will be played between the winners of the first two War Eagles. The Tirers have ketball Tigers have recently finished a very respectable seahis first year as head coach at Elba, guided the Tigers to an the winners of the first two War Eagles. The Tigers have quarters. War eagles. The Tigers have won a measly four games this Talking for a minute on a season, and posted only a 10-16 subject relatively untouched by this column, Richard Petty has it looks as if Lynn will keep best team in recent years in our city. Had the Tigers not

a mid-season slump when shown some kind of domination in the stock car racing field this season. Petty recently won his sixth victory in a row an assistant from one of the standard regions in the P. E. department at Auburn, and the Atlantic Coast Conference sch they lost four games in a row, the record could have been outstanding. Final statistics on finished at the time of this writing, but will be passed along And don't you feel symp. at Richmond last Sunday.

And don't you feel sympathy
for young Forrest Fezler? He

Atlantic Coast Conference schools. At any rate, it is time
for a change, for Auburn has missed putts of three and five had plenty of potential in the of Mr. and Mrs. Tilman Lin o you as soon as they are Coach Randy Griffin is very enthused with progress of the football Tigers during spring football The Black-Gold intrafeet on the last two holes of past few years to field winning dsey, also of Elba, has squad game will be held this Friday at 1:30 in Tiger Sta-Friday at 1:30 in Tiger Sta-dium, with spring drills winding He choked all right on the co-

Garden Club up after the jamboree in Opp on March 9. Coach Griffin if he choked at the bank. reports that 71 players were out for the first day of practice, Muhammed Ali almost came number one challenges

Warr, with Mrs. Robert Marsh

assisting as hostess. Coffee and

led to order by the president,

Mrs. Warr gave directions for making magnolias from corn

shucks like she had made in an

Ft. Rucker recently awar-

Ratings to 28 civilians. Among these was Johnny E. Tucker of Elba, who works at Lyster Army Hospital.

79¢ lb.

89¢ lb.

4/89¢

4/88¢

55¢ qt.

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4/\$1

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adjourned by the president

Outstanding

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Receives Promotion

man Apprentice). Paul was informed of his Na turning to the U.S. from th Virgin Islands Presently, he is serving ac tive duty aboard the USS Sea The February meeting of the Magnolia Garden Club was held in the home of Mrs. Milton the home of Mrs. Milton training at the Navel Training Center in Orlando Fla., on Dec. 19, 1972, in Company 33 (with cake were enjoyed by 17 mem-bers before the meeting was cal-fire Control Technician 1st Class Buscemi as Company Co mmander. The Gardener's Creed was Paul is a graduate of Elba given in unison by club members. High School and attended Falls College and Computer Career Mrs. Martha Kilpatrick was Institute in Atlanta, Ga., and rewelcomed as a new member. ceived his Diploma in General After a brief business session, Clerical from Douglas MacAr-Mrs. Lister Brunson, program thur Tech. Institute in Opp, Ala. chairman, introduced Mrs.
Kirk Allred who gave an interesting program about African

After completing his active duty, he hopes to complete his training in Data Processing at

violets, illustrating her talk with the Institute. pictures and growing plants.
Mrs. Dozier Roberts gave the
Gardener's Hint for February.

Azalea Garden Club Meets

arrangement on display in the party room. The meeting was The Azalea Garden Club met in the home of Mrs. Bax-ter Bryan for its February me-Ratings Given To

ter Bryan for its rebruary meeting on Wednesday the 14th with Mrs. Bryan and Mrs. Drexel Cook serving as hostes-The Valentine motif was carried out in the decorations and refreshments of cake, cookies, nuts, and coffee. Mrs. Price Ringo, president. presided and led the group read-ing of the Club Collect to open

the meeting. Roll call and minutes of the January meet-ing were read by the Secretary. The treasurer, Mrs. Boyd Mur-phree gave the financial report. Drexel Cook reported that the Christmas wreaths had been collected and had been The report on the "Bright of America" orders was made by Mrs. Boyd Murphree, in the absence of the chairman, Mrs. . The president read a letter concerning a contribution to a Cancer Diagnosis Clinic to be established at Southeast General Hospital in Dothan, and the Club voted to contribute \$25 to this worthy cause.

Attention was called to the littered condition along the Elba - Enterprise highway and ways and means of getting the cans and all other debris cleared were discussed. The pre-sident named the following to mittee for officers for the 1973 -75 biennium: Mrs. Boyd Murhree, Miss Zadie Rowe, and Mrs. Duke Tatum. eresting program on "Getting an Early Start From Seed" was Points of interest stressed were ime of planting; type of soil

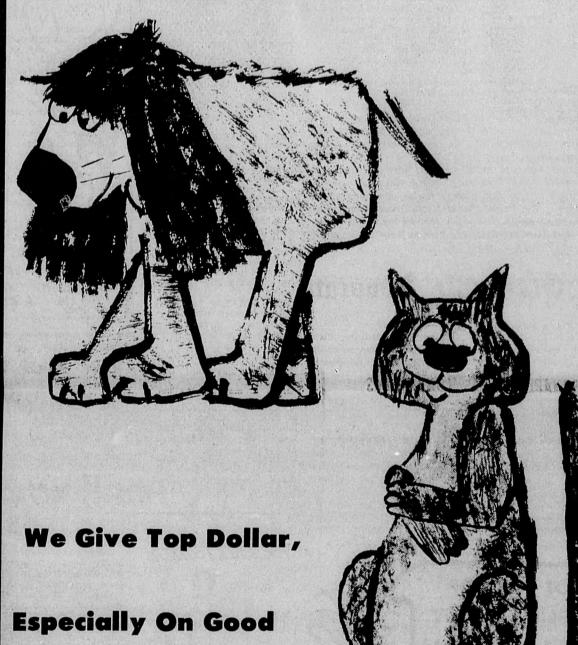
to be prepared; fertilizer; how to water; and when to transerent types of materials and ontainers to be used and pl assisted in the program by giving some helpful sugges tions on seed planting. Following the program, Mrs. McCreary and Mrs. Tatum conicted a workshop for plant Each member was given an with ready prepared soil and a packet of seeds which was

Members present were: Mrs. Fred Clark, Mrs. R. H. Lee, Mrs. V. D. McCreary, Mrs. Boyd Murphree, Mrs. Price Ringo, Mrs. Sam Rowe, Mrs Oscar Vaughan, Jr., Mrs. Fl ter Bryan, Mrs. Edward Bak-er, Mrs. Nellie Martin, and

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TORN PAGE

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Heddy and I went up a little early and stopped for a steak at one of the half-way fancy greasy spoons in Mortgomery. By doing that, I was able to be at Maxwell Field as I wanted and mandatory penalties for the use of the late of the reconsidered this so-calculation on December 30, led economy move and halted this effort should include strong mandatory penalties for the use of production. I am greatly needed to be and still make some points with my wife (it is al- of guns in a crime, and mea- I recently filed for a claim with concerned by the increased ways good to have a few extra 'cause you never know when you might need them!)

Sures to limit the supply of waepons to criminals. Any gun control legislation passed by Congress should be aimed at C

There has been a lot of talk about the rezoning that has been the weapons used by criminals company but have not gotten a this situation. requested recently. Three weeks ago the City Council turned and not at the confiscation o down some property near Highland Drive and last week turned down some out the Brantley Highway. Then later it was lear- DEAR SENATOR SPARKMAN: ned that they would reconsider both pieces of property this I am in the 5th grade at J Tuesday night in a special meeting.

I heard rumors of politics, hankey-pankey and such but even of waste into the streams a though I didn't get very good answers for turning down the lakes. We need your help Poole property, with seven adjoining landowners saying it was OK, frankly I couldn't find any politics

I had planned to start covering all the County Commission meet- of these funds as he has sugings this year but . . . they have gotten to the point where they DEAR SENATOR SPARKMAN: meet longer than the Elba City Council and that is mighty long I was indeed shocked at the The Commission starts at 10 a.m. and have continued until recent ruling of the Suprem 5:05 p.m. and 6:25 p.m. at the last two meetings. Sorry but I Court on abortion. I earnestly have too much work lined up to spend that much time covering no more activity than goes on during those long, drawnout meetings. The burden is on Judge Sawyer's back to get SPARKMAN: I too disagre the meetings moving faster - not for me but for all concer- with the Supreme Court ruling ned ... even the Commissioners turn up their noses and grin
when asked "what took so long?"

It is my feeling that the in
dividual states -- Georgia, Te when asked "what took so long?"

The Greenville Advorate ing on this matter in the days ahead. DEAR SENATOR SPARKMAN:

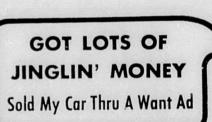
A story in the daily press this week states that the "Hope over the proposal to limit th Hull United Methodist Church has denounced a decree by the sale of vitamins A and D. Easy National Council of Churches stating that amnesty be granted quantity is essential to the health to all Vietnam draft-dodgers and deserters."

We applaud the action of the Montgomery County church Administration advises me tha and hope that others will follow suit.

The National Council of Churches represents all major it is giving interested parties denominations in the United States, according to the story but, an opportunity to comment on the proposal. Your comments

Pastor Leonard H. Schultz, of Hope Hull, said that the council can be

does not have the authority to speak for all member churches. Clerk, Food and Drug Admin-Alas, all too many churches have crawled up under the liberal wings of the NCC and found, too late, that the feathers are loaded with mites.





Housing Development Corporation Proposed

As Result of ADO Studies

Proposed legislation, prepared as a result of studies by find State Housing Commission, a division of the Alabama Heart Association of the Alabama and Preference and the recomposition of the Alabama and Preference and the recomposition of the Alabama and American division of the Alabama and Preference and the recomposition of the Alabama and American division of the Alabama and Preference and the recomposition of the Alabama and American division of the Alabama and American division of the Alabama and Preference and the recomposition of the Alabama and American division of the Alabama and American divi who said that the proposed leg-islation will create the Alabama dized help from the federal Housing Development Corporation as a new source of capital government."

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Public Accounts. You must know !! Assisting Representative Heart disease can begin to But unless, you help yourself as to my financial status and King in preparation of his bill you are born. King in preparation of his bill were Governor Wallace's legal Increased risk of Incr

Senator Sparkman Answers

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SPARKMAN: I too feel the

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of our nation. W. K., Mobile SPARKMAN: The Food and Drug.

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istration, Rockville, Maryland 20852.

of vitamins A and D in the

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In my opinion, if gun control I am a Vietnam veteran and I mailed immediately.

laws are enforced to the extent would like to know about Pres
DEAR SENATOR SPARKMAN: be no long conversations if they even got to speak to him at all, but Elba people wanted him to know they appreciated the sacrifice he had made. Many, many more expressed a desire to attend but couldn't arrange schedules to the sacrification of the sacrificatio to attend but couldn't arrange schedules to be up all night as most of us were.

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Name of the Members of Conquota on nonfat dry milk was ment officers, point out the need gress. Fortunately, the Presi-increased by Presidential Pro-

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The statistics tell the story, correction of these tendencies

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Heart attack occurs so com-monly, even in younger adults can result in oxygen poor (blue

(165,000 under 60 in 1971) that many of us are fatalistic, accepting the likelihood of death between the hearts two main

s an unalterable fact of life. pumping chambers can resul

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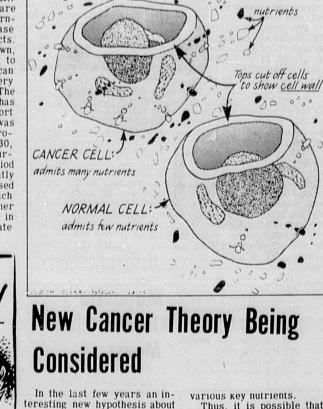
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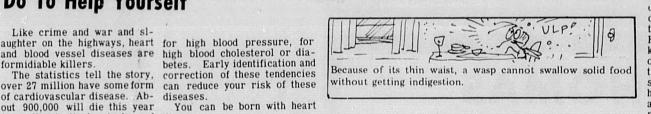
BASIS OF CANCER THEORY-

NUTRIENT UPTAKE BY CELL WALL

In the last few years an interesting new hypothesis about the nature of cancer has emerged. Like all other theories about cancer, this one has not yet been firmly proved. But the initial experiments with this new approach have been promising, so it deserves serious attention.

Acommon observation in lab-Acommon observation in lab-paratories that grow animal cells in culture has been that nor-of normal cells and cancer poral care. All you have to mal cells stop growing after a while and that cells thought to be cancerous do not. This cording to the new theory, in the cording to the new theory, in the birds. Look at the grass,

ells the normal cells to stop nutrients. rowing when the cell cluster In other w erent because they lack this Yet recent experiments at The lk Institute, in San Diego, nd in other laboratories have hown that the point at which ormal cells stop growing deends on the concentration o rum supplied to the cells, rdless of the density of the cluster, Also it has been shown that one particular step in the cell growth cycle, for both dependent on the presence of



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many things -- can be done. A common sore throat cantr-More than half (350,000) of the igger rheumatic fever, leading troller General of the Unit-ed States. Vice - President and mem-bers of the Executive Brmay go away, then return; nau-sea, vomiting and shortness of Only your doctor can tell if confidence. 30 percent of the public's

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Corner

THE PASTORS CORNER n the Sermon on the Moun our Lord offers each of us some excellent advice. He says there, "Be not anxious Don't worry about what you will eat or drink or wear. Don't be concerned for your life! Offering advise like this to a modern man or woman seems idiculous, doesn't it? The modern man asks, "If I don't werry about how I'm going to live, who will? God helps those who help themselves." But it really isn't advice It is tested truth. The basic idea here is, "Do not be distracted by cares; do not become a slave to a thousand worries that will destroy your hap-

piness." What good does it

do a man to make a million dollars if in the making of it he becomes such a nervous wreck that he cannot enjoy it. There are four reasons that I would like to mention as to

why we shouldn't become over anxious about these things First, men make mistakes, when

ct has usually been attributed outer cell membrane, which which man uses for fuel -- is some chemical "signal" that controls the uptake of serum there any better evidence that nutrients.

In other words, although can
God does provide for our needs
Third, the birds are fed, the liaches a certain density. In cer cells are of many different lies of the field are clothed types, and although there are in beauty, and the grass, (to many suspected "causes" of be burned by man tomorrow) cancer, the unifying character- also is clothed and sustained istic of all cancers could be If God does this for birds, and that the cell membranes have flowers and grass; then how been altered in some way that much more is He interested affects nutrient uptake. affects nutrient uptake. in His Greatest creation -- man.

This new theory does not Fourth, worry about food and provide any immediate appr-garments is pagan, not Christ-oach to a cure for cancer, nor ian. Jesus says, "the gentiles to an understanding of what seek those things." They are causes cancer. The theory unduly worried about the means does suggest a unifying pers- of life, and they forget its pective for all cancer research purpose and its ends. God knows and that alone would be a val- what we have need of. And Jesus goes a little fa

"But seek ye first His King dom". "Having talked abou the direction of real happiness He says that when we seek the other things will take care of hemselves. Try today leaving hands, and truly seek His love and righteousness first. It does make a difference.

All the anguish and pain, Because at home safe at last, again. Cindy Ward 10th grade

Peace is fought for on Battle fields, While people riot against it on Capitol Hill.

we say? God is the answer tomorrow Cindy Wilson 12th grade



Elected F.T.A. District IX Vice-President Terri Wilson, 10th grade

MARCH 1, 1973



HAVING A PARTY?

Cleaning up litter and making money for the project of buying tured are 10th grade students sion, every slight nuance of my with bottles they have collected voice, even the costume that No, Just killing two birds with money for the project of buying one stone -- the school an intercom. Pic- totaling \$51.95 so far.



Rebel Ritings

HOME AT LAST The day finally came, nd many men heard their name They were going home. Never again to roam. Their bodies were weak, But somehow they seemed meek, Their faces began to glow,

For they were ready to go Finally home from war Which had been so far, They'd been in a Vietnam jail Which seemed more like he Together with families, they

PEACE Peace is something very rare, Because so many people do not Peace is something not often On this God given earth and ground.

Peace is something that is hard



from Z. C. was elected to the office of Vice-President at the District IX F. T. A. Conven-

on held recently in Ozark. She was selected from a field

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My Pet Peeve

Deborah Simmons: Homework

better than I am and they have

Rocky Bragg, Jannie Nelson, Barbara Grimes and James Jo-hnson: Mrs. Lee

Teresa Wilson: People who

somewhere at a certain time Jerry Miller: Doing a resea-

Debbie Sheffield: Having to be

giggle all the time

IS . . .

Senior Of The Week

The senior interviewed this week is Jerald Spear, son of what Jerald likes about Z. C. He believes by offering more Mrs. W. J. Spear of Route One, Jack. Jerald has attended Z. subjects and more social activities for students that the C. from the 6th grade. He has belonged to 4-H Club for 7 years, F. T. A. for 2 years Jerald enjoys fishing, hunt-ing, drawing, and math. His future plans are to go to Mac-Arthur Tech and study courses and Z. Club for one year. Jer-ald has played on the Rebel engineer.

football team for one year. The way teachers and students get along and the friend-Will 20 Years From Now Find

The high school students still eating suckers? Mr. Green swinging his paddle as hard as ever? Deborah Simmons: Homework
Coach Sanders being called to Judy Rushing: Two faced peothe phone every few minutes?

ple Gail Davis: Listening to every-Phil trying to go to town? one saying "No way" Chervl wearing miniskirts? Theresa Jinwright: A guy that tells you he didn't like his st-Terri still loving Wayne? Nickie promoting 4-H? eady girl but is still dating Mary interested in annuals? Larry and Sam any taller Stevie Deal: Mark Cauley James as squirmy as ever? Donny Killingsworth: When a see Mr. Green Mrs. Powell: Students who ask Mark sewing up his pants? "dumb" questions following a Mrs. Lowery still drinking Rusamona laughing at Billy? Anita Spear; Not knowing what's Ramona laughing at Birly:
Anita B's. smile still like Mary
going to happen next
Nathan Nelson and Sylvia Nunez: Chuck married to Cindy? Mrs. Lowery Merle's hair the same pretty Freddie Napper: Mrs. Hubert and all the teachers
Gail Richardson: A girl that Barbara 20 pounds overweight? slapped me a long time ago Tommy Letlow: Someone that Kenneth O. with a beard? acts unfriendly and high and

Keith F. still arguing? Sheila living in Cliq? Nathan asking questions? mighty Linda Liptrot's hair still as Anita Burch: Losing a ball pretty and neat? game and gossiping busybodies
Mrs. Herbert working math? Margaret Pyfrom: Finding Dretta eating at the Dairy Qu- someone who thinks they're Lynn forgetting her crocheting? the proof
Donna still breaking most of Estelle Henderson: A techer the rules?
Buck still working for a newspaper?

giving a lecture
Mark Cauley:
Mrs. Lee and
Mrs. Powell paper? Darlene chewing gum. Wade still talking.



ZCHS Editorial

You asked what it is like o be a teacher, and having had the opportunity to be one think I might be able to tell you. Every teacher has her own little world beyond the door of the classroom. With each say there is a new event from which the students and teachers learn. Some events are great: Johnny reads a complete paragraph without stumbling once or Linda unlocks the mysteries of long division and is as happy as she would be if she had discovered a gold mine. But sometimes the events are heartbreaking: I learn that Mary's father has left home, or that my room has been torn apart by vandals, or I see a child faint because he ter of Mr. and Mrs. Shelley Barbara is a senior at Zion Chapel and a very active parhas had no breakfast. To me, being a teacher is like being an actress who faces

a highly critical audience for about six hours a day with neither a script or an director to guide me. I cannot afford stage fright even though I know that my every gesture, my every facial every word my every facial every has been a cheerleader for 5 th, Student of the Year, Homeword, my every facial expres-I am wearing undergoes careexamination every moment of my working day. at work instead of being taken home. That is not true of teaching. By experiencing the child, it enables me to become better parent. You see teachers have a lot to learn too Teaching, you see, is one of e few professions where your

ability to relate to others by tually participating in their ortant to success than your ability to do math or grammar you. It's a wild and wonderal love affair with life and



she has held the following club memberships and club offices: Beta Club, vice-president; F. T. A., secretary; Library Club, reporter; Z. Club, secretary; Annual Staff, secretary; Senior Class, secretary; Student Cou-

years, as captain 2 years coming Attendant, Senior Spot-and co-captain one year. light, and Who's Who among A popular and deserving stu- American High School Students dent, Barbara has also been It is almost a "sure thing' awarded many honors during that Barbara, with her person Most jobs are better if left her years at Z. C., among whi- ality, ability, and ambition will ch have been: Homecoming be a success in whatever she Queen, 1972-73, Miss ZCHS, chooses to devote the rest of Who's Who, DAR Good Citiz- her life to.

In the Student Spotlight this

Ziglar of Route Two, Troy

?Guess Who?

There once was a baby named than crying, But now she's grown up, And is cute as a pup,



Who spent more time laughing Teacher Talk

two children, Alan a 6th grader and Kim, a 1st grader in the When asked what he though was good about Zion Chapel Mr. Smith Replied, "one of the many things I like best is the friendly and cooperative attitudes shown by the student body. All the students seem to have an excellent student to student and student to teacher relationship. I have had to call on many of them to help in one form or another and all seemed more than willing to help in any way possible." His opinion of how the school could be improved was by having more teacners, especially in high school in order to reduce the classroom size and create a better learning situation.

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Mr. Smith enjoys hunting, fishing and horseback riding. He lists as a special hobby raising catfish fingerlings.
Though this is Mr. Smith's first year at Z. C. and as a teacher, it is very obvious that his work illustrates his is his main interest in life: "My main interest in life is helping young people, watching them grow and mature into helpcitizens. My greatest satisfaction comes from watching a child who has been labeled

a slow learner really come to make progress caomparable to teacher, is featured this week in Teacher Talk. He and his Last weeks Guess Who was Ken-ith Jinwright. wife, Gwynette, who is a book-keeper for Alabama Warehoue wish him continued success.

ZION CHAPEL BAPTIST CHURCH

Lester Garrett, Pastor

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Church Training . .5:00 p.m. Evening Worship . .7:00 p.m. Wed.Prayer Meet. .7:00 p.m.

OF ELBA
Robert Davis, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m
Worship Service (WELB)

Church Training . . .6:00 p.m Evening Worship . . .7:00 p.m

Wed.Family Supper....6:00 p.m. Wed.Prayer Meet6:30 p.m.

David Richburg, Pastor

Sunday School 10:00 a.m.

WHITEWA''ER BAPTIST

Worship and Children

CHURCH

Worship .

.11:00 a.m

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Evening Worship. . .7:00 p.m.

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Junior Worship 11:00 a.m.

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Jimmy and Shirley Hatcher

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Thursday Night 7:00 p.m. Youth Service Sat. . . 7:00 p.m.

WELB Radio Daily ..12:20 p.m.

Sunday School 10:00 a.m.

Prayer Meeting, Wed. 7:00 p.m.

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Rev. Thomas Kennedy, Pastor Sunday School . . . 9:30 P.M.

Church Training . . 10:10 P.M.

Morning Worship . 11:00 A.M. Youth Choir Re-

. 7:30 P.M.

. 8:00 P.M.

NEW EBENEZER BAPTIST

CHURCH - Curtis T. W. Harrison, Pastor

Worship Training Union . . .

. . . . 9:45 a.m.

.5:00 p.m.

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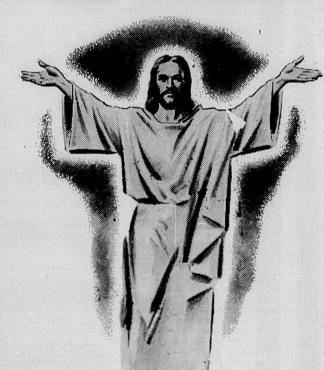
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Wednesday -Ladies Bible Class - 9:00 a.m. Wednesday -Bible Study 7:00 p.m. ELBA CHURCH OF GOD Felton Stewart, Pastor N. Claxton St. Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship . . . 11:00 a.m. Young Peoples Endeavor 6:00 p.m Evangelistic Serv. 6:30 p.m. Wed. Prayer Service . 7:00 p.m.

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Johnson, Dorothy Flowers

Walden, Lela Waldrop, Sheiia
Hornsby, Dixie Ann Morris, Tom
McGhee.

Miss Brown Honored With

Walter S. Compton, Jenny Hudson, Emma Norris.

Persons admitted to Elba General Hospital during the period of February 20 through 27 are as follows:

Gloria Coon, W. H. Walden, Shelia Hornsby, Talmadge Brunson, Eula McGowan, Lucille Griffin, Lois V. Bryan, Author L. Register, Thomas R. Johnson, Haston Blair, Edna Barberee, Mary Lois Adams, Roger Paul Nelson, Ronnie Kellay. Grover H. Wood, Hayward McMillian, Mary Frances Daniels, Charles R.

Walter S. Compton, Jenny Hudson, be returning stateside in Aug-ust 1973 with his wife, Lillian, and nine-month-old son, Ken-

> school at the University of Alabama upon termination of mil-Miss Zylphia Walden, age 82, of Enterprise, died February Sam Cox, 30, Funeral services were held Dies February

Elba directed. Cox, age 30, were held in Ros-Survivors include: two bro-well, Georgia, on February 21. thers, John Walden, Elba; and Henry Walden, Winter Garden,

He died of gunshot wounds on the night of February 19 in Roswell. Persona

He is survived by his wife, Odessa Smart Cox; 2 sons, Sammy, Jr., age 9 and Kevin, 8; two daughters, Teresa, age 5 and Shelia, age 7; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Murphy Cox, Elba; four brothers, Kenneth, Charles and Fred, Elba; Ed, Marietta, Ga.; four sisters, Mrs. Eva Keller, San Diego, California; Mrs. Mary Griggs, Atlanta, Ga.; Mrs. Cloria Coon, Elba; Mrs. Patric
He is survived by his wife, Odessa Smart Cox; 2 sons, Sammy, Jr., age 9 and Kevin, 8; two daughters, Teresa, age 5 and School of Fine Arts, John Long, Dean, has announced its presentation of the Rogers and Hammerstein musical "The King and I" on March 1, 2, and 3. The play features in its large cast two Elba Natives: Patricia Clark, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. James Clark, and Deborah Ho-

1041 Ash Street in Brookdale. Gloria Coon, Elba; Mrs. Patric- James Clark, and Deborah Ho-

ia Oswalt, Felton, Miss.



Belcher plans to complete his two remaining years of law

Troy State Uses Elba

cutt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs

George Hocutt. Patricia and Deborah are 1971 graduates of Elba High School and are presently Juniors at Troy State. Phillip Kelley, director of TSU's Opera Workshop, has carefully cast the leading roles Hocutt.

In the play. In addition to these leading roles, provisions had to be made to fill the roles of the king's wives and children. There are 18 wives in the play; two of these are play: two of these leading roles, provisions had to be made to fill the roles of the king's wives and children. The play opens March 1 at 7:30 p.m. in Smith Hall Auditorium and runs through March 2.

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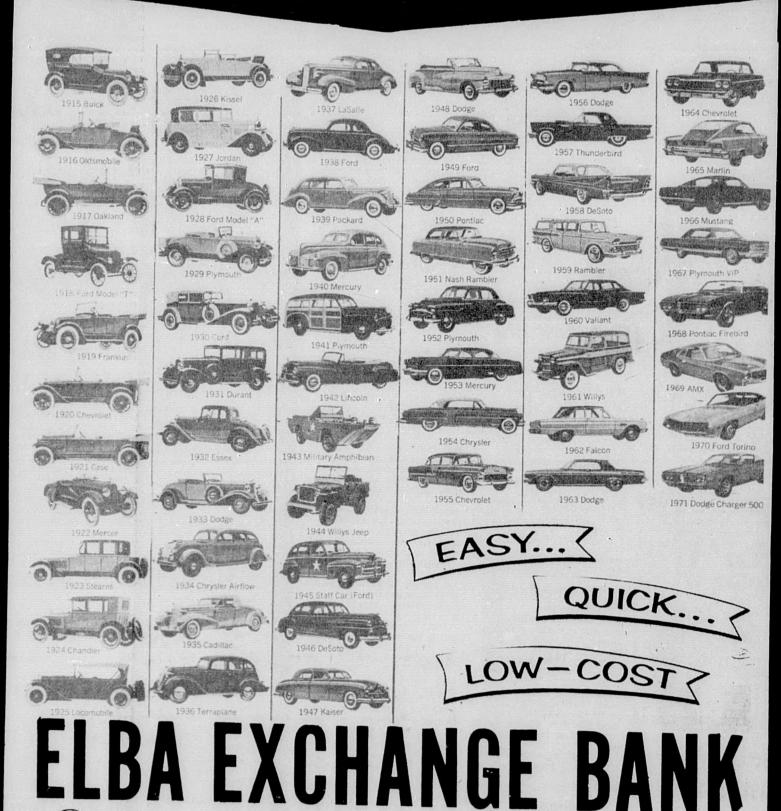
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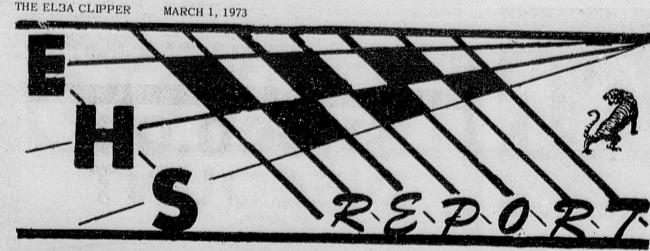
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Editors Of The Week



Students Who Went to Samford for Tournament



Annual Staff Visits Paragon Press

Fourteen members of the Annual Staff, Mr. Foley and Mrs. McCollough left Wednesday afternoon, February 14, for a trip to Montgomery to Montgom

Movies And Their Stars

Good Ole Days

Fairite Subject: Beach Boys Favorite Past Time: Cheer-

McCollough left Wednesday afternoon, February 14, for a trip to Montgomery to tour Paragon Press. The group stayed at the Governors House Motel. After checking into the Motel the group loaded into cars and went to Montgomery Mall to eat at Morrison's. After the meal, everyone shopped around the mall and finally grouped up and went to the motel. There was a party in Mrs. Mc-d. lough's room, with all kinds of goodies. After the party

"Gone With The Wind" - Hur 'La Mons" - Mrs. Padgett's in the halls between classes "The Ten Commandments" "Three Coins in a Fountain" -the coke machines "Easy Rider" - Randy Chap-"Dirty Harry" - Mr. Amos
"Born Free" - Sr's of 73
"The Green Berets" - boys

Mr. and Mrs. BoJo Jones" -

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plans to attend college. Fattends Elba Zion Baptist Chu

Debbir and Ronnie
Hearing your favorite song with your favorite person
. . . sharing a locker with at the same time money for the March of Dimes . Pam lost her contacts Skipping and not getting at practice anding on the top bleachers ... the the E.S.J.C. Homecoming ce . . . LaVaughan wore glasses F-ench . . . LaVaughan, Mark, and Stud-Hall .Getting out at 11:30 Greg got caught skipping

The snow being gone

Elba Teachers Hold Feb. 20 Meeting tion met in the Elba Elemen-

president, Mrs. Juanita Scott. The devotional was given by Mrs. Sylvia Padgett. Following the devotional Mrs. Scott intro-duced Mr. Vernon St. John from Opp, Alabama, who is a repesentative of American Eduoriefly concerning American Educators and he introduced Mr. Ken Howell and Dr. Kimball Pate. Mr. Howell and Dr. Pate are also connected with American Educators. Af-ter a short speech from Dr. Pate, these gentlemen were ex-The French Club of Elba High School is actively making preparations for the annual Federation French Club Convention which is to convene March 2-2 from the Elba Teachers' Ascused from the meeting and which is to convene March 2-3 from the Elba Teachers' As-

Going To

for the exhibit.

Convention

Debbie Henderson will enter the skit competition. They will present "La Guerison Phonetique". Van Vaughan is vigorously working on the exhibit and Barry and Jackie Brunson Greg Thompson and Kala Hudson are doin some art work for the exhibit.

After the adoption of Mrs. De-Vanes report, the meeting was adjourned, followed by a few brief remarks from Mr. Taylor brought us up to date on the plans for Captain Ben Ringsdorf's return to Alabama and the activities to be conducted in Flba in to be conducted in Elba in Attending the convention will conjunction with his return.

Attending the convention will be Sylvia Padgett, sponsor; Mary Ann Richburgm chaperone; and the following students: Jack Brunson, Vann Vaughan, Van English, Clive Collier, Keith Towles, Joyce Ziglar, Judy Kelley, Judy Kayron Hudson, Cindy Maddox, Virginia Stephens, Faye Davis, Diane Bryan, Debbie Henderson, Jennifer Young, Donna McCollough, and Debbie Lee. These students and chaperones will leave Friday March 2 at 8:00 a.m. and will return to Elba Saturday March 3 at 5:00 p.m. day March 2 at 8:00 a.m. and will return to Elba Saturday March 3 at 5:00 p.m.

Jack Brunson and Debbie Henderson will present our local club as secretary at the general assembly Friday afternoon and Saturday Morning. Also at the banquet Friday night. All activities with the exception of one will be held in the new Ferguson Building. The French play will be on stage at nearby Stillman College Friday evening following the banquet.

We wish all of these a safe trip and good luck in all areas of competition.

too, once walked the halls of Elba High School. Since those days Ben has been to military school, graduated from the University of Alabama, and has been a pilot in the United States Air Force. It was this last position which brough him the sad fate of being a Prisoner of War for six and one half years.

Ben, we just want to take this opportunity to say that you have been in the back of our minds, on our hearts, and in our prayers during those years. May God bless you and we say thank you (though very small words) for the manner in which you served us and our country.

Science Club, Mu Alpha Theta Hold Meeting Wednesday, February 14, the

cience Club met with the Mu Alpha Theta in the Library.
Our guest speaker was an Andalusia High School Teacher who showed us the techniaue of computer operating. He solved various math problems for our benefit. No other business was mentioned and the meeting was adjourned until Reporter Elaine Head

Military Ball Held Feb. 17 The first Military Ball was held Saturday night, February 17, at the Fort Rucker Open Mess Hall. Fran English, was crowned Queen of the Military Ball at Elba High School. The first Runner up was Diane Pope At the ball Jimmy Morrow was promoted from Major to Lt. Colonel, Sgt. Bailey and Colonel

Mystery Student

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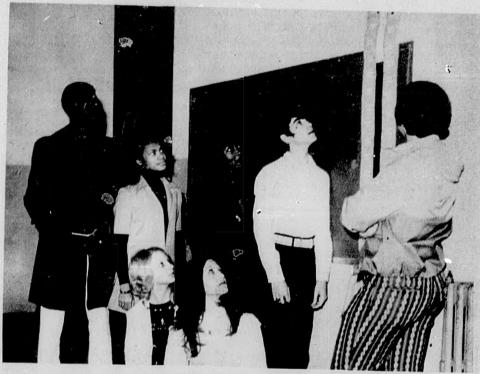
Mystery Teacher



VICA Finalists In Skill Competition

The Elba High School chapwhich is to convene March 2-3 from the Elba Teachers' Asociation.

Sity of Alabama. As secretary of the state federation, the club has recently mailed the second issue of La Petit Courier, the state French Club Newspaper. Also, the club is nominating committee. The planning to have an entry in the Level II oral and skit competition. Keith Towles will enter the oral competition. He will recit "Palme" in French. Clive Collier, Van English, and Debbie Henderson will enter the skit competition. They will solved in the composition of Mrs. Debbie Henderson will enter the composition of Mrs. Debbie Henderson will enter the composition of the skit competition. They will solved in the club is a contest at High School chapter of Vocational and Industrial Clubs of America entered the annual Southeastern District skills contest at MacArter the southeastern District in the State Technical Institute Skills contest at MacArter than Southeastern District in the State Skills contest. We are very proud to announce that of the six of the six of Vocational and Industrial Clubs of America entered the annual Southeastern District skills contest at MacArter the skills contest at MacArter than Southeastern District in the State Skills contest. We are very proud to announce that of the six of Vocational and Industrial Clubs of America entered the annual Southeastern District skills contest at MacArter than State Technical Institute schools were involved in the contest. We are very proud to announce that of the six of Vocational and Industrial Clubs of America entered the annual Southeastern District skills contest at MacArter than State Technical Institute schools were involved in the contest. We are very proud to announce that of the six of Vocational and Industrial Clubs of America enterical Clu



Junior Class Annual Magazine Sale

The 1973 Junior Class of Elba High School met in the school auditorium on Friday morning, February 16th. The delphia, Pennsylvania, greeted the students with several side - cracking jokes, but gave last year's goal. The Junior an interesting and detailed ax-ription Company, Phila- Jr. - Sr. Prom the class set les will end March 2, We

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Ozark: they have two children -

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Whitehead

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Bullard

Bascom Franklin Bowdoin

age 81, died February 21, 1973,

were held on February 23 at

He is survived by his wife,

Nannie E. Sessions Bowdoin:

two daughters, Mrs. Burie Nel-

son, Elba; Mrs. Thea Wyatt,

one brother, Chris Bowdoin

died suddenly on February 7

1973 of a heart attack.

Opp; two sons, Cecil Bowdoin,

Death Claims

Bascom F

Bowdoin

nd Mrs. J. L. Clay of Elba, at Coffee General Hospital in

a Junior at 'Southern. She Enterprise. Funeral service

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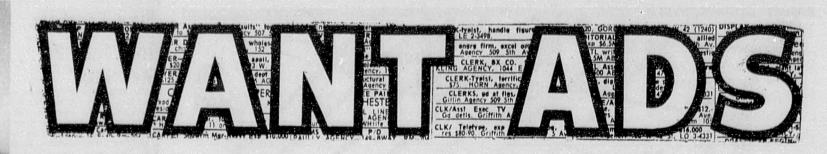
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Funeral services were held on February 8 at 2:30 p.m. at Bethany Baptist Church with Rev. Q.P. Jones officiating. Burial was in the Church Cem- CARD OF THANKS Survivors include his wid- friends and relatives for food ow, Mrs. Russie Drewery; one flowers and kindnesses shown daughter, Mrs. Margie Harri- at the death of our father and son, New Brockton; three sons, Gordon M. Drewery, Elba; Way-ne Drewery, Eglin AFB: Floyd 3-1-1tc 3-1-tc

Drewery, Elba; two brothers. Lloyd Drewery, Carthage, Miss.; Wesley Drewery, Union, Miss.; two sisters, Mrs. Lena CARD OF THANKS Fauls, New Orleans, La.; Mrs. We sincerely appreciate all Johnnie Wood, Ken Beach, South kindness and sympathy shown Carolina: 12 grandchildren and 4 great grandchildren and ses at Elba General and Dr. Kim, in the death of our be loved mother and grandmother May God bless each of you. The Watson family.

> CARD OF THANKS We, the family of Bascom Bowdoin would like to say thanks to everyone for the many kind deeds extended to us dur ing our recent bereavement Your thoughtfulness made our burden easier to bear. May the Good Lord bless and keep you is our prayer. 3-1-1tc

CARD OF THANKS We, the wife and children of Mr. Flaudell (F.D.) Drewery, would like to express our deepest appreciation and hum ble thankfulness to all our friends and neighbors for the comforting words and kind deeds extended to us during the time of death of our dear hus-band and father. Words to convey our heartfelt love for each one, cannot be found. For a the floral gifts and good food we are very grateful. May God richly bless each one is our prayer. Mrs. F.D.(Rassie) Drewerv Floyd Drewery Gordon Drewery Wayne Drewery

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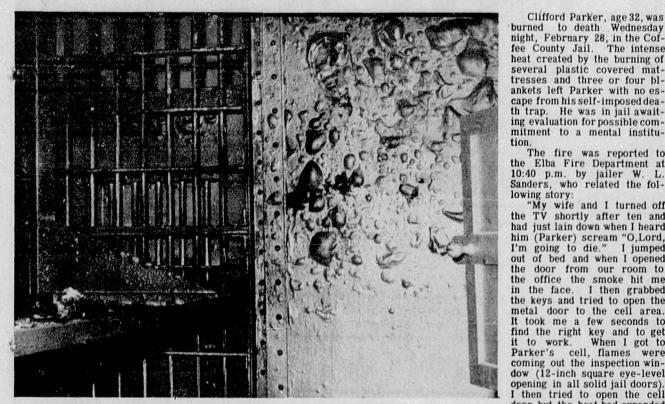
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Mr. Pierce Culver from the
County Commission. They are
is checking the three low bidders and will report to Judge

Tenn., who submitted the low bid of \$390.00.

Also, the Commission made

and set them afire shortly after

night, February 28, in the Cofheat created by the burning o several plastic covered mattresses and three or four bl-ankets left Parker with no esth trap. He was in jail await-ing evaluation for possible commitment to a mental institu-The fire was reported to the Elba Fire Department at 10:40 p.m. by jailer W. L. Sanders, who related the following story:
"My wife and I turned off the TV shortly after ten and had just lain down when I heard him (Parker) scream "O,Lord, I'm going to die." I jumped out of bed and when I opened the office the smoke hit me in the face. I then grabbed the keys and tried to open the metal door to the cell area. It took me a few seconds to find the right key and to get it to work. When I got to Parker's cell, flames were coming out the inspection win-

BULLETIN BOARD AT SCHOOL PREPARED BY MRS. JUNE HAMM

POW Coming Home Friday At 10 A.M. Captain Ben Ringsdorf will be home and allowed to begin rereturning to Elba this Friday laxing and injoying the well morning at 10 a.m. after six earned freedoms he has dreamyears in a POW camp, accord- ad of for the last six and one

officials. Ringsdorf has been at Maxwell since February 21st COMMITTEE TO maxwell since repruary 21st undergoing medical exams and military defriefings. He was given the green light by Air Force doctors who stated that he was in excellent health after to head a committee to determine treating him for two bad teeth planned for Elba's only returning and the resulting minor side POW. Appointed to serve with FLY THE FLAG FRIDAY Inman (at his request) were Mrs. Sam Sawyer, Mrs. Robert

Captain Ben Ringsdorf is ex-pected to return to Elba some-my Wise and Ferrin Cox. time next week according to The committee was appointed at Maxwell Field. Elba folks had has not meet at press time. heard Friday, Monday, Tues-day, Wenesday and others, but However Inman told this news-paper that several state and an interest in attending some However, tenative plans for welcoming him home have been made by Elba citizens. Banners have been prepared to hang across the Troy Highway. He However tenative plans for across the Troy Highway. He s expected to arrive during school hoursand arrangements

have been made for schools to turn out to greet him. Many school classes have made posters welcoming Ringsdorf home. The city officials will meet him This newspaper had palnned an informative article on the status at the city limits and escort of the project to build 50 low him to the elementery school rent houses in Elba. Much has where he has expressed a de-sire to say a few words to the students. From there the Elba chosen the Poole property for the band will lead his caravan down-town, around the square and to used next week before all the a platform where he will be presented the keys to the city by Mayor Brunson.

From there the recently released POW will be escorted favorable reports from Birmingham and Montgomery on the builder.

noted the blistered paint on the brick walls all the way to the ceiling and even evidence around the corner by the jailer's desk, indicating flames had Recreation Director

Alvin Cordell has been hired A new schedule for the Recinvestigated the death, reported that all of Parker's matches and cigarettes had been taken from him on Tuesday night by Elba policemen before locking him in the jail on complaints by his mother, Mrs. Addie Bell Shipman. Hayes quoted Jailer Sanders as saying that Parker's wife had visited him about 5:30 Wednesday afternoon "to see if he is any better." Hayes said that probably Parker talked her into grain and the probably Parker talked her into grain and the probably parker talked her into grain and the policemen before a plany.

Mr. Cordell will be paid on a 9-month basis at the rate of \$225.00 per month; and on a 3-month basis at \$450.00 per month. This is the Summer period when he will spend more time as Director. Total salary for the year - \$3375.00.

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into giving him some matches CONCERT BAND IN ANDALUSIA CONCERT

The recently organized Elba
High School Concert Band participated in the 1973 District
Band Contest in Andalusia on February 24. Eighteen bands from District VIII-Alabama Ba- ch 11 and ends March 17. In ndmasters Association were in- conjunction with this week, a volved in the contest. The purpose of the event is for a panel of judges to recommend those bands they feel should go to State Contest in Tudaloosa.

This is the first time in Scouts from Troy and Elba will journey to Savannah, Georgia bands they feel should go to visit the birthplace of Justie Lowe, the founder of Girl

This is the first time in Scouts.

well as the teenagers on the two nights scheduled for them. This schedule will be in effect until school is out when we expect to have a new one," says Mr. ing City Council meeting concerning re-zoning unty have been received by the contract with the ween received by the corresponding concerning re-zoning unty have been received by the contract with the ween received by the with the ween received by the with the ween received by the contract with the ween received by the with the ween received by the contract with the ween received by the with the ween received by the contract with the ween received by the with the ween received by the contract with the ween the ween the ween that Elba has gone to this contest. Because of this, and a conflict between on purp land of the proposition of the ween the county commission made appointments to area water Boouth of Sayson.

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